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WENDEL et al.

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Assistant Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicants appeal the rejection of claims, as set forth in the Office action mailed July 25, 2000.

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